

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
EASTERN DIVISION

The videoconference deposition of ROBERT HUGHES, taken pursuant to the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, before Nicole M. Cheney, Certified Shorthand Reporter No. 084-004744, at 20 North Clark Street, Suite 1260, Chicago, Illinois, on Friday, August 4, 2017, commencing at 8:58 a.m., pursuant to notice.

APPEARANCES:

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1 Q. Okay. And you don't recall one way or
2 the other then whether Mr. Nicolas is proficient in
3 the English language, correct?

4 A. No, I do not know that.

5 Q. Aside from any statements that may
6 be written on this form, you don't independently
7 recall anything that he said during the hearing,
8 correct?

9 A. That is correct.

10 Q. You don't recall if he handed you any
11 notes during the hearing?

12 A. Nope, I do not recall.

13 Q. And you don't recall if he asked for
14 time to interview any witnesses, correct?

15 A. Nope, I do not recall.

16 Q. Okay. You likewise do not recall who
17 Edgar Diaz is, correct? An inmate at Menard.

18 A. No, I do not know -- do you know what
19 his nickname is. I might know him by his nickname.

20 Q. That's fair, but I don't know his
21 nickname. I don't.

22 A. Okay. No, off the top of my head, I do
23 not know who he is.

24 Q. Okay. And then is it fair to say you